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The Road to Revolution

Multiple Choice Questions

1. Why did Britain start taxing the colonies after the French and Indian War?
 - a) To punish the colonists
 - b) To pay off war debts
 - c) To give money to the king
 - d) To stop people from buying British goods

2. What was the purpose of the Stamp Act?
 - a) To require colonists to buy stamps for paper goods
 - b) To allow colonists to trade freely
 - c) To make Britain richer
 - d) To create jobs for stamp makers

3. How did colonists react to the Townshend Acts?
 - a) They ignored them
 - b) They welcomed them
 - c) They protested against them
 - d) They asked for more taxes

4. What was the Boston Tea Party?
 - a) A meeting to discuss tea prices
 - b) A party where people drank tea
 - c) A war between colonists and the British
 - d) A protest where colonists dumped tea into the harbor

5. What did the First Continental Congress do?
 - a) Declared war on Britain
 - b) Created a new government
 - c) United the colonies against Britain
 - d) Asked Britain to increase taxes

